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ONE CENT

ITALIAN POLICEMAN KILLS RUSSIAN IN MIDNIGHT FIGHT

Monessen Officer Demands Order And Subsequent Assault Leads to Shooting

ENDS WEDDING CELEBRATION

Victim, Intoxicated, Attempts to Seize Gun—Is First Taken to Doctor's Office Then to Hospital—Policeman Gives Himself Up.

As the outcome of a disagreement between a party of about 15 Russians and Policeman Phillip Pascoe of the Monessen police force, Peter Detethz, aged 25, a Russian millworker of Donora is dead and the policeman is being held answerable pending the decision of a coroner's jury, having voluntarily given himself up to the Westmoreland county district attorney. Self-defense is the plea being put up by the policeman, who is an Italian.

Saturday night the party of Russians, most or all of whom were from Donora attended a wedding celebration in Third street hall at Monessen. About 1 o'clock they left the place and started down Third street. Stopping at Schoonmaker avenue they started to sing and create more or less of a disturbance. Policeman Pascoe, having the Third street beat, warned them to desist from their boisterous tactics. They paid little attention to him, having been fired with considerable quantities of liquor, but started on their way down Schoonmaker avenue toward Second street. The Italian policeman followed.

About half way down the street the party halted. The policeman again approached and demanded a cessation of their noise. The claim is made that the Russians immediately assailed the policeman and knocked him down and beat him severely. As he gained momentary freedom and started to arise he pulled his revolver from his pocket and fired two shots at the ground. The Russians showed little fear. Instead Detethz drew near and seized the muzzle of the gun. Either the attempt to wrest it from the Italian policeman's grasp or the effort of the Italian to protect himself or his effort to obtain satisfaction for a real or fancied wrong, led to the pistol being fired once.

With a groan the Russian sank to the ground. His companions fled. Other Monessen policeman who happened to be nearby hastened to the scene and the mortally wounded man was carried to a doctor's office. Then he was hurried to the Charleroi Monessen hospital. He died at 1:39 Sunday afternoon.

The Italian policeman made no attempt to escape. Six of the companions of the dead man were arrested to be held pending an investigation, and efforts were made to apprehend others.

The body of the Russian was removed to the office of Deputy Coroner Lawrence B. Frye here and a coronial investigation put under way. Coroner James T. Heffran being notified. It is anticipated that in this county a jury will be empaneled and that the case will simply be turned over to the Westmoreland authorities.

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HORSE OF VALUABLE TEAM DROPS DEAD WHILE ON WAY TO FUNERAL

Unusual Story Heard From Fayette City—Mourners Forced to Walk to Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

The unusual story of a horse dying at a funeral is reported from Fayette City. On Sunday the funeral of John McGinn's, a well known coal miner of Allentown was held, with interment being in Mt. Auburn cemetery back of Fayette City. Teams were procured from different livery barns, including that of L. M. Gilliland, Sr. Among the teams he furnished was a splendid black team which he had purchased a few months ago. Nearing the cemetery one of these horses began to stagger and in a moment had fallen dead. Those in the cab were forced to walk the remaining distance to the cemetery.

LICENSE COURT CONVENES TODAY

Judge McIlvaine Sitting—Hotel Men and Their Allies Crowd Into County Seat

42 RETAIL APPLICATIONS

The annual session of license court was convened this morning at 10 o'clock. Judge J. A. McIlvaine sitting. Hotel men, those who are seeking the privilege to renew the licenses they already hold to conduct a bar in connection with their establishments, and those seeking to get into the liquor business, or get back a license taken from them heretofore will be on hand with their sponsors. As there are not many remonstrances, and no serious charges filed it is expected that the list will be run through in short order.

There were 42 retail applications filed but some of these have been withdrawn. C. Linn Colbert, who had filed an application for a license in the Langeloth section, Smith township, withdrew some time ago. John H. Bernarding has purchased the Hotel Donora. Donora from Frank H. Meyer, and the latter has withdrawn his application. There were originally two applications for this hotel. Peter N. Miller is the applicant for the Atwood hotel, West Brownsville. James A. Provins also had an application on file for this hotel but it is understood. Mr. Miller expects to take the property off Mr. Provins' hands. The application of Andrew Mucka et al for a wholesale license at Donora has been withdrawn. There are eight brewery applications, including the Washington brewery, where a state license has been held for five years. There has been held applications for distillers' licenses. Harry B. Hayden at Monongahela is the only applicant who seeks to sell liquor by the wholesale. There are many remonstrances against him.

FAKIR TOLD TO HIKE AS GAME IS LEARNED

Canvassing Won't go, Itinerant Merchant is Informed—Councilman Swickey Trails Man—New Ordinance Likely to be Presented Soon

That a license issued for two days to a fakir to sell watches, a new variety of spectacles or something distinctly of a faking variety on the street does not apply to a week or ten days in Charleroi was forcibly drawn to the attention of one of that class of itinerant merchants Saturday afternoon. The result was that the man whose name was uncertain was gently informed he might do better elsewhere.

Councilman H. L. Swickey of the police committee learned of the fakir's activities. It seemed the man was conducting somewhat of a canvass and disposing of as much of his particular variety of specialties as possible and gatherings in the coin of the realm rapidly. Councilman Swickey made inquiry about his license and found it had been granted for only two days. Saturday morning police court the fakir grew rather boisterous but that made it all the harder for him. He was ordered to stop his canvassing and to make a quick getaway.

PRUDENTIAL AGENTS REJOICE AT SUCCESS

Washington District Leads the Country So Banquet is Held in Celebration of Event—Valley Men Chalk Up Records.

The Washington district of the Prudential Insurance company of America led the entire United States and Canada in industrial increase on a man to man basis for 1915 in honor of which a banquet was held Saturday at the Hotel Main Monongahela for district representatives and their wives.

The following officers from the home office of the company at Newark, N. J., were present; Secretary William I. Hamilton; Assistant Secretary Edwin F. Kulp; Division Manager B. L. Worthington; Inspector John F. Maher.

The representative in the Washington district ranked well among the other employees in the two countries. There are a total of 1,785 assistants superintendents in the entire service of the company in the United States and Canada and among this great number Assistant Superintendent J. O. Jennings, of Brownsville took second place; Assistant Superintendent G. P. Kunkelmann, of Monongahela was ninth; Assistant Superintendent V. B. Patterson of Charleroi was the forty-third and Assistant Superintendent Samuel E. Long of Washington finished in ninety-fourth place.

There are 10,500 agents in the service of this company and K. M. Hart of Brownsville, had the good fortune to finish in thirteenth place; G. C. McClelland of Brownsville took the twentieth place; H. M. Clark of Monongahela was the thirtieth; A. C. Thomas of Monongahela, was seventy-fifth, and James Bryan of Brownsville captured ninety sixth place.

The Washington district is composed of the following towns: Washington, Canonsburg, Waynesburg, Monongahela, Donora, Monessen, Charleroi, California, Brownsville and adjacent territory. The staff of the district is composed of five assistant superintendents, 33 agents and five clerks all under Superintendent S. E. Long of Washington.

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FAIR VALUE OF HER AFFECTIONS \$3,000

Canonsburg Girl Sues for Breach of Promise—Defendant Released From Jail Recently When Sister of Plaintiff Gets Marriage License.

Three thousand dollars is the value that Mary Sadeck of Canonsburg, places on her affections. She has brought suit for that sum against Charles Bennett for alleged breach of promise to marry. She has caused a capias to be issued for the defendant with bail required at \$1,000.

She avers that during the month of June, last year, the defendant promised to marry her and that he has since that time made such repeated promises. Confiding in this, the plaintiff says, she has remained unmarried and is still ready and willing to marry him the defendant.

She avers however that on February 3, 1916, the defendant procured a license to marry a person other than herself.

It is understood that in this case the defendant had been arrested on a serious charge preferred by the plaintiff and had been in jail. One day last week it is reported a sister of the plaintiff gave bail for the defendant, secured his release from jail and afterwards secured a license to marry him.

MRS AMELIA PICINOTTI DIES AT HER HOME HERE

Member of Well Known Family Leaves Husband and Eight Children—Funeral Tuesday.

Mrs. Amelia Picinotti, aged 44 years, 6 months and 26 days died at her home at 901 Eleventh street Saturday at 11:50 a.m. She leaves her husband (Celeste Picinotti) and the following children: Alice, Joseph, Carrie, Fred, Edith, Clement, Matilda and Celestine; also three sisters, Mrs. August Rialti, Mrs. Dominic Pezoni and one sister in Italy. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at nine o'clock with requiem high mass at Mother of Sorrows church and interment in Calvary cemetery. She belongs to a well known family having been a resident here for 15 years.

Seward Might be confined to his home with an attack of the grip.

ZERO WEATHER CAUSES FURTHER WARNINGS OF GAS SHORTAGE

SECOND SYMPHONY CONCERT TO BE GIVEN ON FEBRUARY 29

Jean DeBacker to Direct Charleroi Organization in Presentation of Splendid Program.

The Charleroi Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Jean DeBacker, will give the second concert of the season's series at the High School auditorium on Tuesday evening, February 29. A splendid program has been arranged. Among the orchestral numbers are Pucini's "La Tosca," Wagner's "Tannhauser," Rossini's "William Tell," and Dvorak's "Humoresque." The assisting artist on this occasion will be Pierre DeBacker, Pittsburgh's leading violinist; and the talented son of the director of the local organization. The Charleroi Symphony Orchestra is making an honest and commendable effort to furnish attractive entertainment at a nominal cost, and it is gratifying to the officers and members of the orchestra that so many of our prominent citizens are lending financial aid by subscribing for honorary membership in the organization. Prof. I. T. Daniel is president and Samuel Simcox, secretary and treasurer of the organization.

Industrial Operations May Again Suffer From Lack of the Natural Product

PRIVATE CONSUMERS SAFE

Local Concern, With Wells at Various Points Believed Well Able to Supply Demand—Monongahela Recovering Equilibrium.

Zero weather is anticipated and along with it the customary gas shortage along the Monongahela valley. This, at least is the word which has been issued extensively through Western Pennsylvania. A repetition of the trouble experienced by mills at the time of the last zero period may be the result if predictions hold true.

The weather bureau announced snow flurries and colder weather today, but neglected to advance any information as to how cold the weather really would get. However, the gas concerns with offices at Pittsburgh made it a point to find out what was doing in weather lines. With the result that they sent out a few warnings. The cold northwest wind of this morning occasioned a greater demand for gas and whatever reserve supply there is will be soon exhausted.

Much of the gas used in industrial operations of the Monongahela valley region and other portions of Western Pennsylvania is piped here from West Virginia. Private consumers burn that which mostly comes from local territory. Hence there is apparently little connection with the various sources, except where the larger concern with the West Virginia supply has been selling its product to local companies.

The Greensboro Gas company, supplying Charleroi, California and Brownsville, with other trade, secures a good flow of gas from various regions. From back of Brownsville there comes a lot, but in addition this concern has also some wells located in Greene county, some in the Irwin district and some in the Lone Pine region. This company has no immediate fear of shortage. At Monongahela, where a gas famine was feared several days ago at the time of a previous cold spell, there is a reserve supply ahead so that ordinary cold weather unless of extreme duration will not cause anxiety. In Monessen the only probable sufferers would be the industries, though the evil might be noticed some by private consumers.

MEETINGS TO BE HELD

EVERY NIGHT THIS WEEK
Evangelistic meetings will be held every night this week at the First Baptist church by Rev. Walter M. Corll in the role of evangelist. He preached to a good-sized congregation Sunday evening.

Come to the Penny Social.
Come one. Come all to the penny social in the P. H. C. hall Thursday February 10 for the benefit of the Lady Maccabees relief fund.

Equitable Miners at Work
Workmen of the Equitable mine opposite Donora, who have been on strike a week went to work this morning, the controversy having been settled.

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SCHOOL BOARD TO SELL BONDS

Adjourned Meeting Tonight to be One of Importance For Arranging Details

TAX QUESTION COMES UP

Tonight the school board is to meet in regular adjourned session to take up important business pertaining to the closing up of bond issue matters for the sale of \$25,000 improvement bonds and for the consideration of a plan for the collection of delinquent taxes. In selling the bonds the school district proposes to make arrangements for enlarging the high school building to meet the increasing need of room. Plans outlined some months ago calling for the erection of additional wings that would cost, according to estimate about \$16,000 or \$20,000 will probably be carried out, if a ready sale of bonds is made.

Pertaining to the tax collection the tax collector will be authorized to use his discretion as to method of procedure, but will be instructed that the \$15,000 or \$16,000 due from delinquents must be collected.

Brownsville Church Rector Quits.

The Rev. W. E. Rambo rector of the Christ Episcopal church of Brownsville has resigned and his resignation has been accepted by the vestry to take effect not later than June 1. Mr. Rambo has served Christ church for 12 years.

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ITINERANT MERCHANTS

The following editorial from the Washington Reporter is applicable here the same that it is in nearly every town and city of the country. "The itinerant merchant pays no taxes; pays no license; pays no rent; has no local payroll; does not enrich but rather drains the community. It has been suggested that there should be a cooperation of effort between commercial organizations and city authorities that will tend to lessen or entirely do away with these itinerant merchants. The local taxpaying business man should be protected."

The above quotation is from a bulletin of the Chamber of Commerce of Portland, Oregon. It is a true statement of facts and the business men of every town are, or ought to be, interested in it.

The business men of every community and their city authorities should cooperate in protecting the taxpaying business man from the non-resident whose only interest is to drain money out of the community and deprive home workers of their livelihood. This is a business matter—not politics.

In the larger affairs of the nation, it is just as important that chambers of commerce cooperate with national business men from the non-resident who seeks to sell here the goods produced by foreign workers thus draining our country and depriving our working people of a corresponding amount of profitable employment.

We see no distinction. If a city peddler's license is defensible, so is a national protective tariff. If national free trade is a sound economic policy, then we should repeal every law that imposes a license on peddlers. If our policy is to be "buy where you can buy the cheapest," let the foreign producers and itinerant merchants be given a cordial welcome. If chambers of commerce are to be enlisted in the fight against Americans who wish to go into neighboring states to sell their wares, let them also enlist in the fight against citizens of foreign nations who would come here and undersell our home producers.

Let us be consistent. Let us be for America first, as we are for this town first!

Since the beginning of the European war a lot of theories fondly cherished by manufacturers, congressmen and scientific men have been sadly cracked, and that by truly American ingenuity and energy. Glass manufacturers, for instance, manufacture of glass is going on uninter-
rupted they considered absolutely necessary for the manufacture of a certain kind of ware. But necessity proved the mother of invention and a substitute was provided. They knew the substitute could be used before, but failed to realize how adequate it really would prove. Now the manufacture of glass is going on interruptedly and there is no noticeable deterioration in the quality. The same is true in other lines of business and industry. American ingenuity has taken care of every one of the difficult problems which have arisen. So don't pay any too much attention to the man with nothing but a gloomy outlook. There are too many opportunities to seize.

Because of injuries sustained in a football game on a Charleroi field last November 20, a Monessen high school youth has just been entered as a patient at a Pittsburgh hospital. The outcome is hardly to be guessed. Yet one year at least will be cut from his career. His education will be hindered to just that extent, and this will reflect upon his entire life to come. And what will be his compensation for his noble sacrifice? Absolutely nothing, save the uncertain memory of the glory which was the sole accompaniment to that disastrous struggle. And what satisfaction does that afford?

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GET THE MAJESTIC HABIT -- FOLLOW THE CROWD

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Pastor Hanks at Brownsville thinks Christians should be given a margin. But limit the margin.

The trouble with some fellows is they are trying to hold a six-reel job with a two-reel ambition.

After numerous experiences one is compelled to believe that governmental red tape is used for two purposes solely, making mistakes and testing one's patience.

They can use the same scenes in a little different way, run the narrative backward or change things somehow, but what is hard to understand is how are they ever going to keep on finding new moving picture titles.

* PICKED UP IN PASSING *

Brother Simmons was a brand newly snatched from the burning. Until the momentous night when he "got religion" he had been a successful professional gambler among his people of the Afro-American tribe. "After de sarmin t'mor' night, Brudder Simmons," said old Deacon Whang, "we all is gwine to have a rousin' hoozanner metin' and burn up yo' par'pholia, bless de Lawd!" "Burn up which?" returned Brother Simmons in some astonishment.

"Yo' gamblin' outfit. When a spot'in' man gets converted and washed whiter than snow, dey allus burns up his kyahds and dice and sich scan'lous stuff as dat, midst loud shouts o' praise. De Lawd is wid 'em and de gamblin' brudder steps fo'th and flings his par'phalia on de fiah and stands wid bowed head whilst—"

"Not me! I ain't gwine to do no sichu thing!"

"But, muh goodness brudder, yo' am converted, isn't yo' and—"

"Yassah! It's sho' converted, but dat don't make me a blame fool! I mought backslide and need dat stuff!" —Argonaut.

A stranger became one of a group of listeners to a veteran of many battles. The veteran had about concluded a vividly colored narrative of a furious battle in which he had taken part.

"Just think of it," exclaimed one of the party, turning to the stranger. "How would you like to stand with shells bursting all around you?"

"I have been there," responded the newcomer.

"What? Have you, too, been a soldier?"

"No," answered the stranger. "I am an actor."

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TO HOLD A DANCE AT DONORA

Invitations have been issued by a committee from Charleroi Council No. 956 and Monessen Council No. 934, Knights of Columbus for their mid-winter dance and reception to be given at the Bank of Donora hall, Donora on Friday evening, February 11. The affair will be informal. Donora has no council of the Knights of Columbus, those there holding their membership in Charleroi council, hence the arrangements for the affair at Donora. The committee arranging for the event consists of James Hennigan, W. S. McVicker, J. W. Gorman, G. S. Preston, D. J. Connelly, H. A. Smyth, Henry M. Lafferty, William Lamey, Jake Weiss, Bert Flynn of Monessen and Charles A. Fries, Peter Lee, John R. Gregg, M. P. McDonough, James Kelly, Joseph Noroski of Charleroi and Donora.

William I. Berryman, Winfield S. Walsh, Attorneys at Law 503 Second National Bank Building, Pittsburg, Pa.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of James H. Sheppard, deceased, late of Charleroi, Washington county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Alice V. Sheppard, Executrix, Charleroi, Pa. F-7-11-21-23-M-6-13

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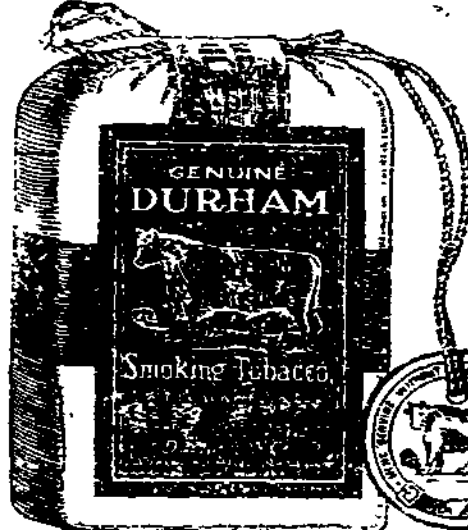
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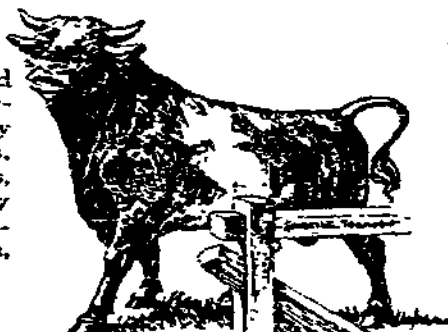
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THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY



ORDINANCE NO.

An ordinance vacating a certain public road, street or highway within the Borough of Speers, Washington County, Pennsylvania, beginning at a point on the south side of the appropriation of the Pennsylvania Railroad company where said vacated street intersects a new highway recently laid out and extending to a point at Speers Street.

WHEREAS, the railroad and tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company are crossed at grade by a certain public road, street or highway in the Borough of Speers between State Street and the Borough Line of Charleroi, and

WHEREAS, for the safety and convenience of the traveling public it is deemed necessary to eliminate and abandon the said crossing and

WHEREAS, in an agreement dated the day of 1914, between the Borough of Speers, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, The Pittsburgh & Charleroi Street Railway Company, The United Traction Company of Pittsburgh and the Pittsburgh Railways company, it was provided that the said road, street or highway should be abandoned between the points hereinafter designated and supplied by a new road or street which was to lie wholly on the south side of the said The Pennsylvania Railroad Company's right-of-way and

WHEREAS, the said new street, road or highway has been relocated and is now in use by the traveling public and that portion of the old highway hereinafter described has become useless, inconvenient and dangerous.

Now be it enacted by the burgess and council of the Borough of Speers in regular session met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same.

That that portion of said road, street or highway lying wholly within the said Borough beginning at a point where the said new road intersects the road to be abandoned northwest of where said road or street crosses the appropriation of the said The Pennsylvania Railroad company and continuing thence across the said appropriation to a point on what is known as Speers Street, which point is Three Hundred (300) feet from State Street in a Northwesterly direction, be and the same is hereby, abandoned and closed to public travel.

Enacted into an ordinance at regular meeting this day of 1916.

President of Council.

Attest:

Secretary.

Burgess
F-7-14-21

Administratrix Notice

Estate of John H. Nelson, late of Fallowfield township, Washington County, Pennsylvania, Deceased.

Letters of administration in the above entitled estate having been granted to the undersigned Administratrix, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to

Elizabeth Nelson, Adm'x.

Speers, Pa., R. D.

David M. McCloskey, Atty. at Law
Charleroi, Pa.

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HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS ARE BEATEN BY WEST NEWTON

The West Newton high school girls basketball team defeated the Charleroi high school girls by the score of 15 to 10 Saturday afternoon. The game was a good one. The first half ended with the score 8 to 6 favor West Newton. Lineup:

Charleroi—10	West Newton—15
Miss Clarihue	F Miss Patterson
Miss Berryman	F Miss Murray
Miss Wilson	C Miss Campbell
Miss I. Chester	G Miss Stevens
Miss G. Chester	G Miss Davidson

Substitutions—Miss Provins for Miss Wilson, Miss Collier for Miss Berryman, Miss Winter for Miss Clarihue. Field goals—Miss Clarihue 2, Miss Berryman, Miss Patterson 4, Miss Murray. Goals from fouls—Miss Berryman 2 of 12, Miss Provins 2 of 7, Miss Patterson 5 of 13. Referee—Wagner.

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THE LADIES' STORE

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Charleroi, Pa.



BERRYMAN'S BIG Semi-ANNUAL REMNANT SALE

Thursday and Friday, February 10th and 11th, 1916

This means that all short length of yard goods in every department where yardage is sold and odd lots, small groups and surplus merchandise of other lines throughout the store are reduced to amazingly low prices. That's our policy--all our own Remnants, mind you, and all go on sale these two big days, every February and August. Piles of fresh clean remnants from our stock of Calicoes, Percales, Gingham, Linens, Dress Woolens, Silks, Embroideries, Laces, Ribbons, Carpets, etc., await your selection. Odd lots of wearables of every manner sacrificed to close out. All odd lots and mused goods---all go at Red Ink Prices on Remnant Days. The Red Ink Prices are: "Away Down Prices." Look for the Red Ink Prices and buy liberally, for these two days, selling will close out big lots of merchandise. Others will bring baskets to carry home great bundles of these bargains---and why not get your share.

Don't miss our Big Sale of Ladies' Suits and Coats at \$5.00---worth \$15, \$20, \$25, and \$30. Look for our printed circulars---but be sure to come and bring your friends. Remnant Sale is held on Thursday and Friday, but will last over Saturday and Monday. Come the first day and share in the big savings.

Unparalleled Selling Ready-To-Wear Outer Garments

This Remnant Sale Means a Sweeping Sacrifice of all Stocks. Unmeasured Saving Possibilities for you in these cut prices.

A sale of Ladies' Dresses---a sale of Ladies' Suits---a sale extraordinary in its money saving possibilities to you. An unequalled event that will eventually clear our cases and racks of every surplus garment. and at a great advantage to you.

Watch this great Remnant selling of wearables---there will be some wonderful bargains in Skirts, Dresses, Suits and Furs.

All our New Fall Suits go at 7.50. These are handsome suits of latest style. Were 12.50, 15.00, 17.50 and 20.00. Now **\$7.50**

\$2.95 will buy you a Ladies' Suit---if you come quick. Only a few at this price. Were 15.00 to 25.00.

\$5.00 At the five dollar price we offer about forty suits for lady and miss. Lots of big sizes. Suits were \$15, \$20, \$25 and \$30.

A One Dollar Sale

None charged. None exchanged. Pick them out. Take your choice. Get your size. And \$1 is the price. First come, first served.

Fur Sale, HALF PRICE

Select any fur in the store and you can have on Remnant Days at Half Price. One lot of furs go for less than half. Two Black Fur Pony Coats, that were 35.00 each, only two, price only 15.00.

Big Sale Kimonos, Dressing Sacques, House Dresses at . . . 39c. 30 Trimmed Hats at . . . 1.00. 10 Trimmed Hats at . . . 2.00

Men, Young Men and Boys---Now is the time to buy your suits. The prices are off---the savings are big. The goods are the right kind. Let our Remnant Day Prices help you to buy. Come to the Remnant Sale. your friends will all be here. There will be lots of remnants all accumulated in this store. We make Remnant Sale right and you are the one who profits. Look for the Red Ink Price.

NO STAMPS ON REMNANT DAYS

J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

FIFTH AND McKEAN AVENUE, CHARLEROI

PERSONALS.

Walter Guthrie of Pittsburg visited with friends in Charleroi Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Bromwich of Lincoln avenue left on Monday for Du Bois where she will visit.

Mrs. Joseph Matthews. Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Keifer and daughter of Monessen visited with Mrs. Keifer's mother Mrs. L. Bruner of Fallowfield avenue Sunday.

Walter Dummire, Paul F. Cooper, Frank Osterhaut, John H. Cooper, Price Kramer, Frank Stephens, William Youngst, Harold Simpson and Ralph Whight of Monongahela visited with friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Courtwright of Dravosburg spent Sunday with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hazlett of Sixth street.

Miss Almira Myers visited with friends at Hazelwood and Glassport over Sunday.

Mrs. E. K. Hill of Fallowfield avenue has returned from the Mercy hospital, at Pittsburg where she underwent an operation.

Miss Minnie Masters of Coal Center was the guest of Mrs. Della Halstead of Fallowfield avenue Sunday.

Mrs. James Myers of Fallowfield avenue visited with her father John Mitts of Hazelwood, who has been seriously ill.

Mrs. William Parks and children have arrived from Artesia, New Mexico and will make their home in Charleroi. Mr. Parks will join them in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Livingston visited with friends at Monessen Sunday.

Clyde Hudson of California visited in Charleroi Sunday.

Misses Alfreda and Amelia Patrick of Monessen visited with their sister Mrs. C. W. Albright Jr., of Fallowfield avenue Sunday.

Miss Margaret Hepler of Eastland Pittsburg is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Hepler of Fallowfield avenue.

David A. Dixon spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Cruickshank of Pittsburg.

Mrs. E. C. Drum went to Pittsburg Monday to spend several days.

Mrs. S. J. Richardson and Miss Minnie B. Richardson spent Sunday at the home of H. W. Crider of Homestead.

NORTH CHARLEROI

Miss Grace Phillips spent Sunday at the home of Miss Elsie Richards of California.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Foulks were recent callers in Pittsburg.

Mary Louise and Jean Fortney. Lenora Houston, Ruth Foulks and Athalia are slowly recovering after a few days illness.

Samuel Gaskill and daughter. Grace were Pittsburg callers.

Miss Nell Sauerwein spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. A. Fortney.

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FOR SALE---Five roomed house, corner Ninth and Fallowfield. Inquire Mrs. Decamps corner Washington and Eighth. 187-t15-p

FOR RENT---or for sale. Five room house and bath and three lots. Inquire 807 Oakland Ave. 195-t6p

FOR SALE---Farm containing 70 acres on improved road near Monongahela. Gas well on farm \$50 per year rental. Free gas. Six room house, with bath. New barn 40x50. Silo 12x30. Two orchards. Farm used for dairy purposes. Will sell stock.

Farm in Union township 12 miles from Pittsburg on improved road one half mile from street car, one and one-half miles from B. & O. R. R. Ten acres coal, gas well in farm \$50 per year rental, free gas. One five room house, one six room cottage, barn and orchard. Good truck farm. 114 acres. Downer and Hamilton. Monongahela, Pa. 198-t2

FOR RENT---Furnished rooms at Lock No. 4, near car line. Inquire 666 Mail office. 198-t2p

WANTED---Boy to learn jewelry trade. Must be 15 years of age or older. Must come well recommended and bring references. Apply H. Porter's Jewelry store, 502 Fallowfield avenue. 199-t2

LOST---Small purse, containing money Saturday between Sixth and Second or on Fifth street. Finder please return to 667 Mail office 199-t1

OVERWORKED MINISTER

Tells How Vinol Restored Strength and Vitality. 6

Charleroi people will realize that we could not publish such letters as the following if they were not genuine and truthful statements of facts. The Rev. Mr. Hughes. Holy Springs, Ark., says:--

"I am a Methodist Minister, and suffered from broken-down nerves, loss of appetite and sleeplessness. I was weak, my circulation was very poor, and I was not able to do my duty in my Parish as I felt I should. I had tried various remedies but did not seem to get any better. Through Mr. Gadin of Bearden, Ark., I learned of Vinol and it built me up. I regained my appetite can sleep better and do more work."

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Charleroi Dry Cleaning Company

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ITALIAN POLICEMAN

(Continued from page one.)

Today Policeman Pascoe, accompanied by two bondsmen Peter, Americo and Mike Sprocci of Monessen, voluntarily went to Greensburg to give himself up to the district attorney. Previous to this time he had not been arrested, it being generally

believed that he had shot purely in self defense. The dead Russian was a man fully six feet tall and correspondingly well built, while the Italian policeman is not large.

The Russian has a brother and a sister living in Edwardsville, this state and they have been notified. It is probable that his body will be taken care of through the efforts of the Russian priest at Monessen.

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and watch for the
Announcement
soon of an event that is of
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to Everyone
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